Arabic Language Basics

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TO GIVE YOU SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR WORDS AND PHRASES YOU MIGHT NEED IN YOUR MISSION IN IRAQ.

Friendly Polite Phrases

-hello marhaba

-hello essalaam alaikum

-(reply) hello wa alaikum essalaam

-goodbye ma assalaama

- please	**bala zahme**
- thank you.	**shukran.**
- You’re welcome.	**afwan.**
- How are you ?	**shlonak ?**
- I am fine.	**zeyin.**

-What is your name?

shinoo ismak ?

- My name is.....

ismee...

I am sorry **ana assef**

Pronouns

- I ana
- You inta
- We ih-na
- He/It hoowa
- She heeya
- They hom

Respectful Personal Titles

- an elderly man — Haj
- an elderly woman — Hajia
- Sir — Seedy
- Ma’am — Sit-tee

Numbers

- one wahed
- two ithnain
- three thalatheh
- four arbaah
- five khamsah

- six sittah
- seven sabah
- eight thamaniah
- nine tisaah
- ten asharah